

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

1
2
3 A method and apparatus is provided for customizing a facial foundation
4 product at point of sale to a customer. Three essential elements are that of a
5 skin analyzer for reading skin properties, a programmable device receiving the
6 reading and correlating same with an optimal formula from a preprogrammed
7 set of formulas, and a formulation machine for preparing the facial foundation
8 product from various cosmetic chemical compositions. The formulation
9 machine receives instructions from the programmable device on the optimal
10 formula. This formula is then dosed and blended from a series of dispensers
11 containing separate cosmetic chemical compositions into a receiving bottle.
12 The optimal formula may be altered through customer preferences by manual
13 alteration of the selected optimal formula.
14